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# SONG LYRICS

## EVERY STORY

(Chorus)

This is the Word of God  
Every story  
His story  
Written for us all  
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Every story  
His story  
Written for us all

Rap: The Old Testament  
Starts with the Pentateuch  
The first five books are  
The Law  
Then History and Poetry  
Wisdom and Prophecy

(Kids: "The Law!")

Genesis, Exodus  
Leviticus, Numbers  
Deuteronomy ("History!")  
Joshua, Judges, Ruth  
1st & 2nd Samuel  
1st & 2nd Kings  
1st & 2nd Chronicles  
Ezra, Nehemiah, and Esther  
("Poetry and Wisdom!")  
Job, Psalms, Proverbs  
And Ecclesiastes  
Then the Song of Songs  
We're heading into Prophecy ("Prophecy!")  
Isaiah, Jeremiah  
Lamentations  
Ezekiel, Daniel  
Hosea and Joel  
Amos, Obadiah  
Jonah, Micah, and Nahum  
Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai  
Zechariah and Malachi

(Repeat Chorus)

Rap: The New Testament has the Gospels  
And the History of the apostles  
Then Letters called Epistles  
And the Prophecy of John

(Kids: "The Gospels!")

Matthew, Mark  
Luke, John  
("History!")  
Acts  
("Letters!")  
Romans  
1st & 2nd Corinthians  
Galatians, Ephesians  
Philippians, Colossians  
1st & 2nd Thessalonians  
1st & 2nd Timothy  
Titus, Philemon ("Here we go!")  
Hebrews, James  
1st & 2nd Peter  
1st & 2nd and 3rd John  
Jude  
("Prophecy!")  
And Revelation

(Repeat Chorus 2x)

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# GOD HAS A PLAN

(Chorus)

God has a plan, has a plan,  
Has a plan for me.  
God has a plan, has a plan,  
Has a plan for me.  
I know, I know I have a purpose,  
I know, I know His ways are perfect,  
I know, I know He has a plan for me.

Even when I'm lost in a jungle,  
I know that my God will catch me when I stumble.  
Even when I'm feeling afraid, He is lighting the way,  
Like a lamp unto my feet.  
Even when I'm lost in a jungle,  
I know that my God will catch me when I stumble.  
Even when I'm feeling afraid, He is lighting the way,  
Like a lamp unto my feet.

(Repeat Chorus)

I know, I know I have a purpose,  
I know, I know His ways are perfect,  
I know, I know He has a plan for me.

God has a plan, has a plan,  
Has a plan for me.

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# JOY TO THE WORLD

Joy to the world  
The Lord is come  
Let earth receive her King  
Let every heart  
Prepare Him room  
And heaven and nature sing  
And heaven and nature sing  
And heaven and heaven and nature sing  
(Repeat)

## **Joy to the World**

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# SAVIOR OF THE WORLD

You are fully human  
You are fully God  
Jesus Christ, Messiah  
Only Son of God

Someday very soon  
You will come again  
Your Kingdom will reign forever  
In the end You win

(Chorus)  
Jesus  
You're the Savior of the world  
You're the Victor  
You're the King of all the earth  
Jesus  
You're the Savior of the world  
All the victory is Yours  
You are so worthy of all praise

You are strong and mighty  
You are powerful  
We give You the glory  
You are wonderful

Someday very soon  
You will come again  
Your Kingdom will reign forever  
In the end You win

(Repeat Chorus)

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# SPEAKING TO US

Long, long ago, long ago,  
God spoke to the fathers  
Through the prophets of old  
At different times in different ways  
But in these last days  
He has spoken to us, oh, through Jesus

(Chorus)  
God is speaking to us  
He's speaking to us through Jesus  
God is speaking to us, He's speaking to us, yeah  
God is speaking to us  
He's speaking to us through Jesus  
God is speaking to us, He's speaking to us

Long, long ago, long ago,  
God spoke to the fathers  
Through the prophets of old  
At different times in different ways  
But in these last days  
He has spoken to us, oh, through Jesus

(Repeat Chorus)

God is speaking to us  
He's speaking to us through Jesus  
God is speaking to us, He's speaking to us, yeah  
God is speaking to us  
He's speaking to us through Jesus  
God is speaking to us, He's speaking to us, yeah

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# ALLERGY ALERT

TODAY WE WILL BE

TASTING

TOUCHING

SMELLING

OBSERVING

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:



**PLEASE INFORM THE LEADERS IF YOUR CHILD HAS AN ALLERGY TO ANY OF THESE ITEMS. THANK YOU!**

# THE GOSPEL

## GOD'S PLAN FOR ME

The word *gospel* means "good news."

It is the message about Christ, the kingdom of God, and salvation.



**GOD RULES.** The Bible tells us God created everything, including you and me, and He is in charge of everything. Invite a volunteer to recite Genesis 1:1 from memory or read it from his Bible. Read Revelation 4:11 and Colossians 1:16-17.



**WE SINNED.** Since the time of Adam and Eve, everyone has chosen to disobey God (Romans 3:23). The Bible calls this sin. Because God is holy, God cannot be around sin. Sin separates us from God and deserves God's punishment of death (Romans 6:23).



**GOD PROVIDED.** Read John 3:16 aloud. God sent His Son, Jesus, the perfect solution to our sin problem, to rescue us from the punishment we deserve. It's something we, as sinners, could never earn on our own. Jesus alone saves us. Read Ephesians 2:8-9.



**JESUS GIVES.** Jesus lived a perfect life, died on the cross for our sins, and rose again. Because Jesus gave up His life for us, we can be welcomed into God's family for eternity. This is the best gift ever! Read Romans 5:8; 2 Corinthians 5:21; or 1 Peter 3:18.



**WE RESPOND.** We can respond to Jesus. "The ABCs of Becoming a Christian" is a simple tool that helps us remember how to respond when prompted by the Holy Spirit to the gift Jesus offers.

### ADMIT

Admit to God that you are a sinner. The first people God created chose to sin and disobey God. Ever since then, all people have chosen to sin and disobey (Romans 3:23). Tell God you messed up and you are sorry for doing your own thing and turning away from Him through your thoughts, words, and actions. Repent, turn away from your sin. (Acts 3:19; 1 John 1:9) *Repent* doesn't just mean turning from doing bad things to doing good things. It means turning from sin and even from your own good works and turning to Jesus, trusting only in Him to save you.

### BELIEVE

Believe that Jesus is God's Son and receive God's gift of forgiveness from sin. You must believe that only Jesus can save you and you cannot save yourself from your sin problem—not even by praying to God, going to church, or reading your Bible. Your faith or your trust is only in Jesus and what He did for you through His life, death, and resurrection. (Acts 16:31; Acts 4:12; John 14:6; Ephesians 2:8-9)

### CONFESS

Confess your faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Tell God and tell others what you believe. If Jesus is your Savior, you are trusting only in Him to save you. Jesus is also Lord, which means He is in charge and calling the shots in your life. You can start following Him and doing what He says in the Bible. You are born again into a new life and look forward to being with God forever. (Romans 10:9-10,13)





# WEEKLY BIBLE VERSES

## SESSION 1: LUKE 1:76-77

And you, child, will be called a prophet of the Most High, for you will go before the Lord to prepare his ways, to give his people knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins. (Luke 1:76-77, CSB)

And you, child, will be called the prophet of the Most High; for you will go before the Lord to prepare his ways, to give knowledge of salvation to his people in the forgiveness of their sins. (Luke 1:76-77, ESV)

And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest: for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways; to give knowledge of salvation unto his people by the remission of their sins. (Luke 1:76-77, KJV)

And you, my child, will be called a prophet of the Most High; for you will go on before the Lord to prepare the way for him, to give his people the knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins. (Luke 1:76-77, NIV)

## SESSION 2: LUKE 1:30-31

Then the angel told her, Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. Now listen: You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you will name him Jesus. (Luke 1:30-31, CSB)

And the angel said to her, Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. (Luke 1:30-31, ESV)

And the angel said unto her, Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favour with God. And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS. (Luke 1:30-31, KJV)

But the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary; you have found favor with God. You will conceive and give birth to a son, and you are to call him Jesus. (Luke 1:30-31, NIV)

## SESSION 3: LUKE 2:11

Today in the city of David a Savior was born for you, who is the Messiah, the Lord. (Luke 2:11, CSB)

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. (Luke 2:11, ESV)

For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. (Luke 2:11, KJV)

Today in the town of David a Savior has been born to you; he is the Messiah, the Lord. (Luke 2:11, NIV)

## SESSION 4: LUKE 2:30

For my eyes have seen your salvation. (Luke 2:30, CSB)

For my eyes have seen your salvation. (Luke 2:30, ESV)

For mine eyes have seen thy salvation. (Luke 2:30, KJV)

For my eyes have seen your salvation. (Luke 2:30, NIV)

## SESSION 5: 1 JOHN 3:1A

See what great love the Father has given us that we should be called God's children—and we are! (1 John 3:1a, CSB)

See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. (1 John 3:1a, ESV)

Behold, what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God. (1 John 3:1a, KJV)

See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! (1 John 3:1a, NIV)

## WEEKLY BIBLE VERSES (ALL SESSIONS)

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# WEEKLY BIBLE VERSES

## SESSION 6: LUKE 17:15

But one of them, seeing that he was healed, returned and, with a loud voice, gave glory to God. (Luke 17:15, CSB)

Then one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, praising God with a loud voice. (Luke 17:15, ESV)

And one of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God. (Luke 17:15, KJV)

One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. (Luke 17:15, NIV)

## SESSION 7: DEUTERONOMY 16:17

Everyone must appear with a gift suited to his means, according to the blessing the Lord your God has given you.

(Deuteronomy 16:17, CSB)

Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord your God that he has given you. (Deuteronomy 16:17, ESV)

Every man shall give as he is able, according to the blessing of the Lord thy God which he hath given thee.

(Deuteronomy 16:17, KJV)

Each of you must bring a gift in proportion to the way the Lord your God has blessed you. (Deuteronomy 16:17, NIV)

## SESSION 8: EZRA 3:11A

They sang with praise and thanksgiving to the Lord: For he is good; his faithful love to Israel endures forever. (Ezra 3:11a, CSB)

And they sang responsively, praising and giving thanks to the Lord, For he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever toward Israel. (Ezra 3:11a, ESV)

And they sang together by course in praising and giving thanks unto the Lord; because he is good, for his mercy endureth for ever toward Israel. (Ezra 3:11a, KJV)

With praise and thanksgiving they sang to the Lord: He is good; his love toward Israel endures forever.” (Ezra 3:11a, NIV)

## SESSION 9: PSALM 37:40

The Lord helps and delivers them; he will deliver them from the wicked and will save them because they take refuge in him.

(Psalm 37:40, CSB)

The Lord helps them and delivers them; he delivers them from the wicked and saves them, because they take refuge in him.

(Psalm 37:40, ESV)

And the Lord shall help them, and deliver them: he shall deliver them from the wicked, and save them, because they trust in him.

(Psalm 37:40, KJV)

The Lord helps them and delivers them; he delivers them from the wicked and saves them, because they take refuge in him.

(Psalm 37:40, NIV)



# WEEKLY BIBLE VERSES

## SESSION 10: ZECHARIAH 9:9

Rejoice greatly, Daughter Zion! Shout in triumph, Daughter Jerusalem! Look, your King is coming to you; he is righteous and victorious, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. (Zechariah 9:9, CSB)

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. (Zechariah 9:9, ESV)

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion; shout, O daughter of Jerusalem: behold, thy King cometh unto thee: he is just, and having salvation; lowly, and riding upon an ass, and upon a colt the foal of an ass. (Zechariah 9:9, KJV)

Rejoice greatly, Daughter Zion! Shout, Daughter Jerusalem! See, your king comes to you, righteous and victorious, lowly and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. (Zechariah 9:9, NIV)

## SESSION 11: PSALM 40:8

I delight to do your will, my God, and your instruction is deep within me. (Psalm 40:8, CSB)

I delight to do your will, O my God; your law is within my heart. (Psalm 40:8, ESV)

I delight to do thy will, O my God: yea, thy law is within my heart. (Psalm 40:8, KJV)

I desire to do your will, my God; your law is within my heart. (Psalm 40:8, NIV)

## SESSION 12: PSALM 54:2

God, hear my prayer; listen to the words from my mouth. (Psalm 54:2, CSB)

O God, hear my prayer; give ear to the words of my mouth. (Psalm 54:2, ESV)

Hear my prayer, O God; give ear to the words of my mouth. (Psalm 54:2, KJV)

Hear my prayer, O God; listen to the words of my mouth. (Psalm 54:2, NIV)

## SESSION 13: PSALM 119:34

Help me understand your instruction, and I will obey it and follow it with all my heart. (Psalm 119:34, CSB)

Give me understanding, that I may keep your law and observe it with my whole heart. (Psalm 119:34, ESV)

Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law; yea, I shall observe it with my whole heart. (Psalm 119:34, KJV)

Give me understanding, so that I may keep your law and obey it with all my heart. (Psalm 119:34, NIV)



# REVIEW QUESTIONS

## SESSION 1

1. Whose turn was it to serve God by burning incense on the incense altar? (*Zechariah's, Luke 1:5,9*)
2. Who appeared next to the incense altar? (*an angel of the Lord/Gabriel, Luke 1:11,19*)
3. The angel Gabriel told Zechariah that his \_\_\_\_\_ had been heard by God. (*prayer, Luke 1:13*)
4. Who did the angel Gabriel say would have a baby? (*Zechariah's wife, Elizabeth; Luke 1:13*)
5. What did the angel Gabriel say the baby should be named? (*John, Luke 1:13*)
6. The angel Gabriel said that Zechariah's son would help prepare people for the \_\_\_\_\_. (*Lord, Luke 1:17*)
7. What happened when Zechariah did not believe Gabriel's message? (*He could not speak. Luke 1:20*)
8. When did Zechariah regain his ability to speak? (*When he wrote on a writing tablet that his son's name was John, Luke 1:63-64*)

## SESSION 2

1. Who was Mary engaged to? (*Joseph, Luke 1:27*)
2. Who was sent to see Mary and give her a message from God? (*Gabriel, Luke 1:26-27*)
3. Gabriel told Mary that she would have a son and name Him \_\_\_\_\_. (*Jesus, Luke 1:31*)
4. Gabriel said that \_\_\_\_\_ is impossible with God. (*nothing, Luke 1:37*)
5. What was Joseph's plan when he heard that Mary was pregnant? (*divorce her secretly, Matthew 1:19*)
6. Who appeared to Joseph in a dream? (*an angel, Matthew 1:20*)
7. What did the angel tell Joseph? (*Do not be afraid to marry Mary, Matthew 1:20*)
8. What does Immanuel mean? (*God is with us, Matthew 1:23*)

## SESSION 3

1. Who sent out a decree that said all the people should register? (*Caesar Augustus, Luke 2:1*)
2. Where did Joseph live? (*Nazareth, Luke 2:4*)
3. Where was Joseph's family, the family of King David, from? (*Bethlehem, Luke 2:4*)
4. Who traveled with Joseph to Bethlehem? (*Mary, Luke 2:5*)
5. Where did Mary lay her son after she wrapped Him in cloth? (*a manger, Luke 2:7*)
6. Who did the angel of the Lord appear to? (*shepherds, Luke 2:8-9*)
7. The angel said, "Today in the city of David, a \_\_\_\_\_, Messiah the Lord, was born for you." (*Savior, Luke 2:11*)
8. Who returned to their fields and praised God for all they had seen and heard? (*the shepherds, Luke 2:20*)

## SESSION 4

1. Where did Mary and Joseph take Baby Jesus? (*the temple in Jerusalem, Luke 2:22*)
2. What did Mary and Joseph need to sacrifice as an offering to God? (*two turtledoves or pigeons, Luke 2:24*)
3. Who told Simeon that he would not die until after he saw the Messiah? (*the Holy Spirit, Luke 2:26*)
4. Where did the Holy Spirit lead Simeon? (*to enter the temple, Luke 2:27*)
5. Who proclaimed that God's salvation—Jesus—would be for the Israelites and the Gentiles? (*Simeon, Luke 2:28-32*)
6. Who was the prophetess in today's Bible story? (*Anna, Luke 2:36*)
7. What did Anna do day and night? (*served God, fasted, and prayed; Luke 2:37*)
8. What did Anna do when she saw Jesus? (*She began to thank God. Luke 2:38*)

## REVIEW QUESTIONS (ALL SESSIONS)

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# REVIEW QUESTIONS

## SESSION 5

1. Who complained that Jesus was welcoming and eating with sinners? (*the Pharisees and scribes, Luke 15:2*)
2. What did the younger son ask his father for? (*his inheritance, Luke 15:11-12*)
3. What did the younger son do with the money from his father? (*wasted it, Luke 15:13*)
4. What job did the younger son find? (*feeding pigs, Luke 15:15*)
5. What did the younger son wish he could eat because he was so hungry? (*the pigs' food, Luke 15:16*)
6. What did the younger son decide to do? (*go home and ask his dad to forgive him, Luke 15:18*)
7. What did the father do when he saw his son? (*He ran to him, hugged him, and called for a celebration. Luke 15:20,22-24*)
8. Who is our loving Father who welcomes us home when we repent of our sin? (*God, 1 John 1:9; 3:1a*)

## SESSION 6

1. How many men asked Jesus for mercy? (*10, Luke 17:12*)
2. Why did the men ask for help? (*They had a skin disease/leprosy. Luke 17:12*)
3. What did Jesus tell the men to do? (*go show themselves to the priests, Luke 17:14*)
4. What happened as the men went to the priests? (*They were healed. Luke 17:14*)
5. Who realized he was healed and praised God? (*the Samaritan man, Luke 17:15-16*)
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8. OK: Who is honored when we give humbly and sacrificially? (*God*)

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8. Why did some of the people cry when they saw the new temple foundation? (*They remembered Solomon's temple. Ezra 3:12*)



# REVIEW QUESTIONS

## SESSION 9

1. Who became discouraged and afraid to build the temple? (*the Israelites, Ezra 4:4*)
2. Who did the enemies of the Israelites bribe to make trouble for the people? (*the officials, Ezra 4:5*)
3. What did King Artaxerxes order after he read the letter from the enemies of the Jewish people? (*He ordered the Israelites to stop rebuilding the temple. Ezra 4:21*)
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6. What did the Israelites do while they waited to hear from King Darius? (*They did not listen to the opposition, and they continued rebuilding the temple. Ezra 5:5*)
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1. How many visions did Zechariah have? (*eight, Zechariah 1-6*)
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5. Was Nehemiah afraid to speak to the king? (*Yes, Nehemiah 2:2*)
6. Who did Nehemiah pray to? (*God, Nehemiah 2:4*)
7. What did Nehemiah ask the king permission to do? (*go to Jerusalem, Nehemiah 2:5*)
8. What did the king allow Nehemiah to take from his forest? (*wood/lumber, Nehemiah 2:8*)



## REVIEW QUESTIONS

### SESSION 13

1. While half of the Israelites worked on the wall, what did the other half do? A. ate lunch, B. stood guard, C. took a nap, D. went home (B. *stood guard, Nehemiah 4:16-17*)
2. Who did Nehemiah keep next to him in case the people were attacked? A. a soldier, B. a carpenter, C. a wall expert, D. a trumpet/horn player (D. *a trumpet/horn player, Nehemiah 4:18*)
3. Who sent a message because they wanted to meet with Nehemiah? A. Sanballat and Geshem, B. Geshem and Tobiah, C. Sanballat and King Artaxerxes, D. Sanballat and Tobiah (A. *Sanballat and Geshem, Nehemiah 6:2*)
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7. How many days did it take the people to finish the wall? A. 42, B. 52, C. 32, D. 22 (B. *52 Nehemiah 6:15*)
8. What did the people do after the wall was finished? A. They took a nap, B. They went to the zoo, C. They dedicated the wall and celebrated what God had done, D. They went on vacation (C. *They dedicated the wall and celebrated what God had done. Nehemiah 12:27*)





# REVIEW QUESTIONS

## SESSION 1

1. Whose turn was it to serve God by burning incense on the incense altar? (*Zechariah's, Luke 1:5,9*)
2. Who appeared next to the incense altar? (*an angel of the Lord/Gabriel, Luke 1:11,19*)
3. The angel Gabriel told Zechariah that his \_\_\_\_\_ had been heard by God. (*prayer, Luke 1:13*)
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7. What happened when Zechariah did not believe Gabriel's message? (*He could not speak. Luke 1:20*)
8. When did Zechariah regain his ability to speak? (*When he wrote on a writing tablet that his son's name was John, Luke 1:63-64*)
9. Zechariah prophesied that John would be called a \_\_\_\_\_ of the Most High. (*prophet, Luke 1:76*)
10. Zechariah prophesied that Jesus, the dawn from on high, would come and shine on those who live in \_\_\_\_\_. (*darkness, Luke 1:78-79*)

## SESSION 2

1. Who was Mary engaged to? (*Joseph, Luke 1:27*)
2. Where did Mary live? (*Nazareth, Luke 1:26*)
3. Who was sent to see Mary and give her a message from God? (*Gabriel, Luke 1:26-27*)
4. Gabriel told Mary that she would have a son and name Him \_\_\_\_\_. (*Jesus, Luke 1:31*)
5. Whose throne would Jesus be given? (*David's, Luke 1:32*)
6. Gabriel said that \_\_\_\_\_ is possible with God. (*nothing, Luke 1:37*)
7. What was Joseph's plan when he heard that Mary was pregnant? (*divorce her secretly, Matthew 1:19*)
8. Who appeared to Joseph in a dream? (*an angel, Matthew 1:20*)
9. What did the angel tell Joseph? (*Do not be afraid to marry Mary, Matthew 1:20*)
10. What does Immanuel mean? (*God is with us, Matthew 1:23*)

## SESSION 3

1. Who sent out a decree that said all the people should register? (*Caesar Augustus, Luke 2:1*)
2. Where did Joseph live? (*Nazareth, Luke 2:4*)
3. Where was Joseph's family, the family of King David, from? (*Bethlehem, Luke 2:4*)
4. Who traveled with Joseph to Bethlehem? (*Mary, Luke 2:5*)
5. Where did Mary lay her son after she wrapped Him in cloth? (*a manger, Luke 2:7*)
6. Who did the angel of the Lord appear to? (*shepherds, Luke 2:8-9*)
7. The angel said, "Today in the city of David, a \_\_\_\_\_, Messiah the Lord, was born for you." (*Savior, Luke 2:11*)
8. Who praised God by saying, "Glory to God in the highest heaven and peace on earth?" (*the heavenly host and the angel of the Lord, Luke 2:13-14*)
9. What did Mary do when she heard the shepherds' story? (*She treasured the things she heard in her heart and thought deeply about them. Luke 2:19*)
10. Who returned to their fields and praised God for all they had seen and heard? (*the shepherds, Luke 2:20*)

## REVIEW QUESTIONS (ALL SESSIONS)

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## SESSION 4

1. Where did Mary and Joseph take Baby Jesus? (*the temple in Jerusalem, Luke 2:22*)
2. What did Mary and Joseph need to sacrifice as an offering to God? (*two turtledoves or pigeons, Luke 2:24*)
3. How is Simeon described? (*as righteous and faithfully following God, Luke 2:25*)
4. What was Simeon looking forward to? (*the day when the Messiah came, Luke 2:25*)
5. Who told Simeon that he would not die until after he saw the Messiah? (*the Holy Spirit, Luke 2:26*)
6. Where did the Holy Spirit lead Simeon? (*to enter the temple, Luke 2:27*)
7. Who proclaimed that God's salvation—Jesus—would be for the Israelites and the Gentiles? (*Simeon, Luke 2:28-32*)
8. Who was the prophetess in today's Bible story? (*Anna, Luke 2:36*)
9. What did Anna do day and night? (*served God, fasted, and prayed; Luke 2:37*)
10. What did Anna do when she saw Jesus? (*She began to thank God. Luke 2:38*)

## SESSION 5

1. Who complained that Jesus was welcoming and eating with sinners? (*the Pharisees and scribes, Luke 15:2*)
2. What did the younger son ask his father for? (*his inheritance, Luke 15:11-12*)
3. What did the younger son do with the money from his father? (*wasted it, Luke 15:13*)
4. What job did the younger son find? (*feeding pigs, Luke 15:15*)
5. What did the younger son wish he could eat because he was so hungry? (*the pigs' food, Luke 15:16*)
6. What did the younger son decide to do? (*go home and ask his dad to forgive him, Luke 15:18*)
7. What was the father filled with when he saw his son? (*compassion, Luke 15:20*)
8. What did the father do when he saw his son? (*He ran to him, hugged him, and called for a celebration. Luke 15:20,22-24*)
9. How did the older son feel when he saw everyone celebrating the return of his brother? (*angry, Luke 15:28*)
10. Who is our loving Father who welcomes us home when we repent of our sin? (*God, 1 John 1:9; 3:1a*)

## SESSION 6

1. Where was Jesus traveling to? (*Jerusalem, Luke 17:11*)
2. What two areas did Jesus pass between on His way to Jerusalem? (*Samaria and Galilee, Luke 17:11*)
3. How many men asked Jesus for mercy? (*10, Luke 17:12*)
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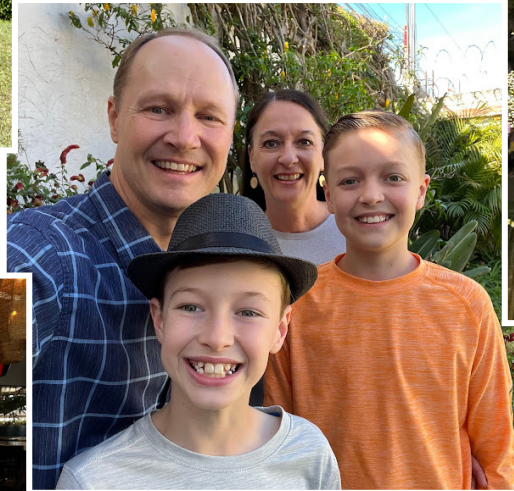
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7. Did Nehemiah agree to meet with Sanballat and Geshem? (*No, Nehemiah 6:8-9*)
8. How many days did it take the people to finish the wall? (*52, Nehemiah 6:15*)
9. What did the Israelites' enemies understand about the finished wall? (*the work had been completed through God's faithfulness, Nehemiah 6:16*)
10. What did the people do after the wall was finished? (*They dedicated the wall and celebrated what God had done. Nehemiah 12:27*)





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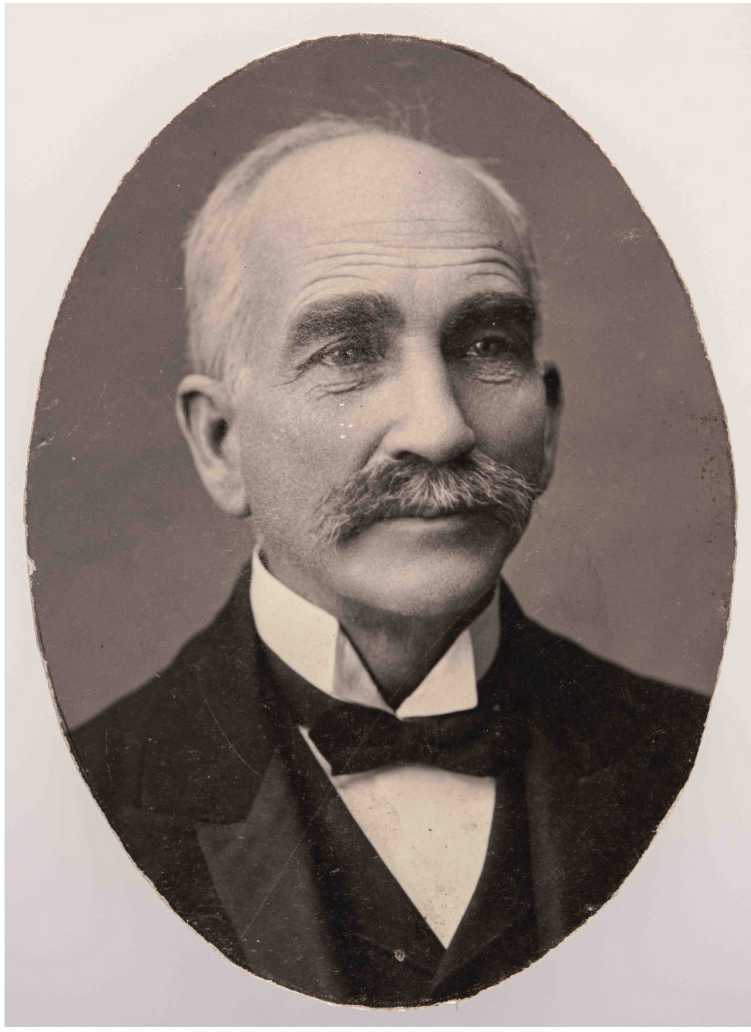
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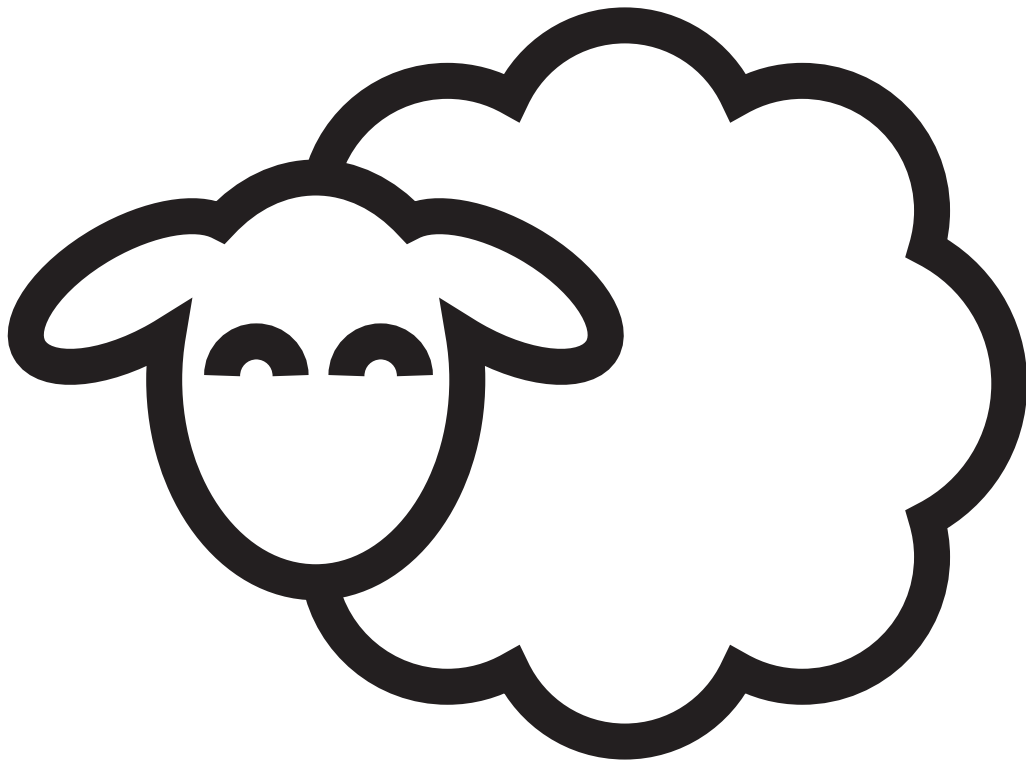
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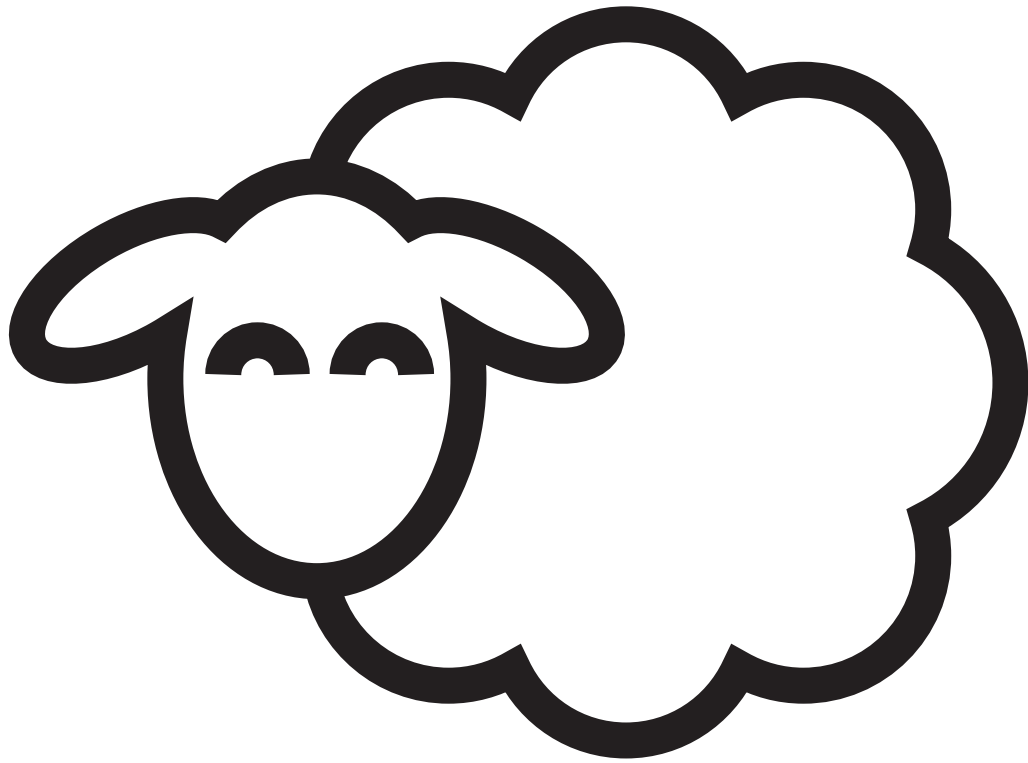
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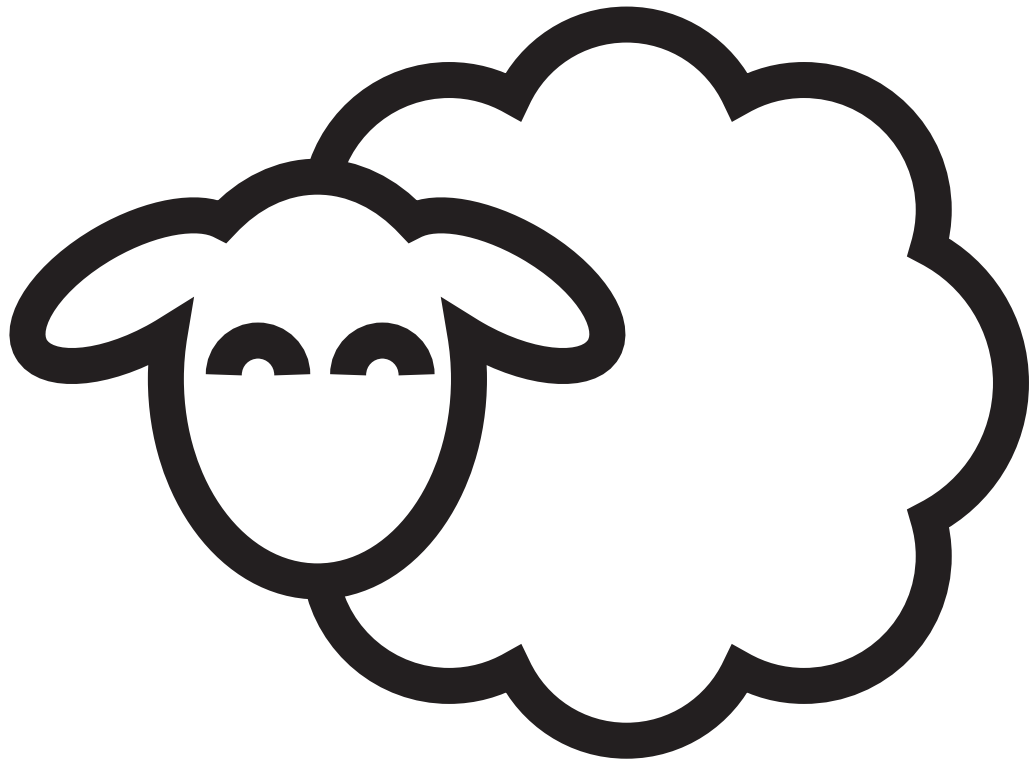




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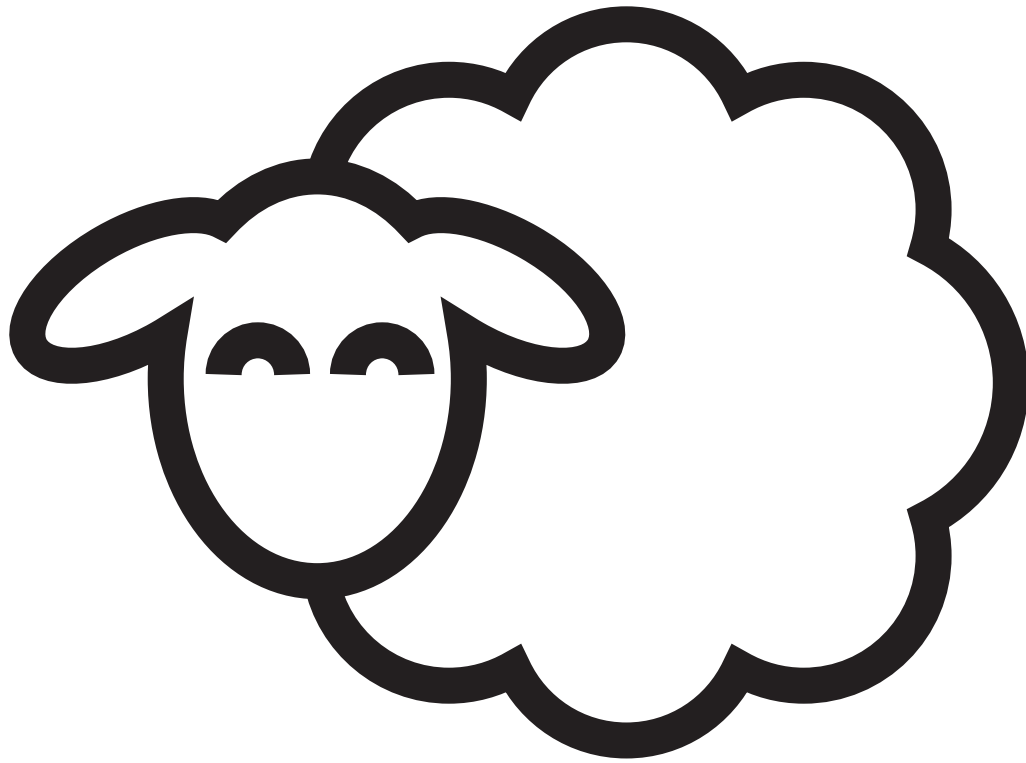


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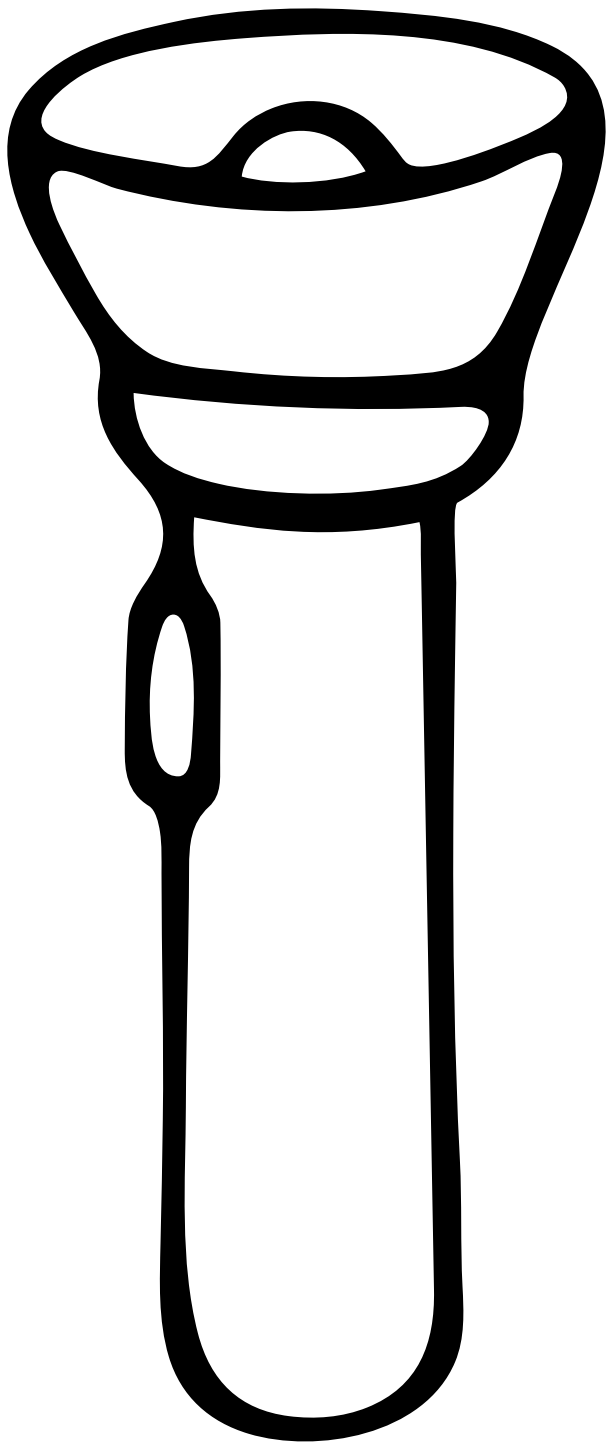
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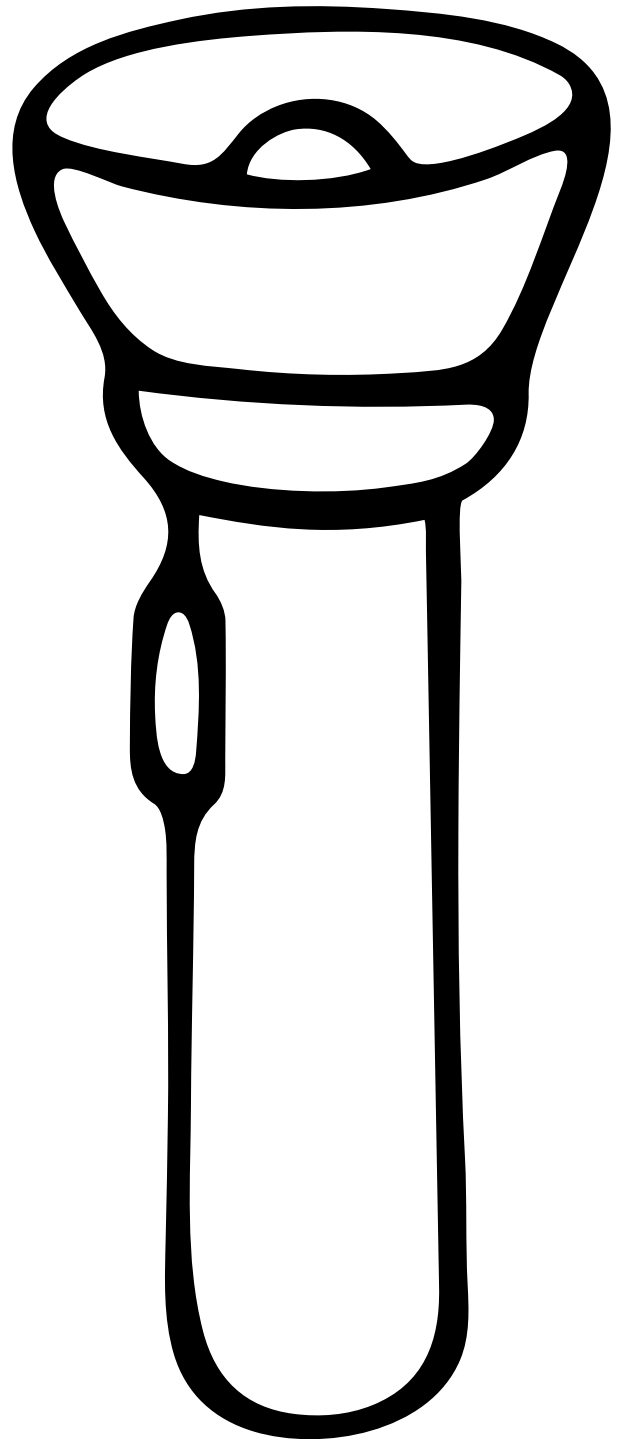
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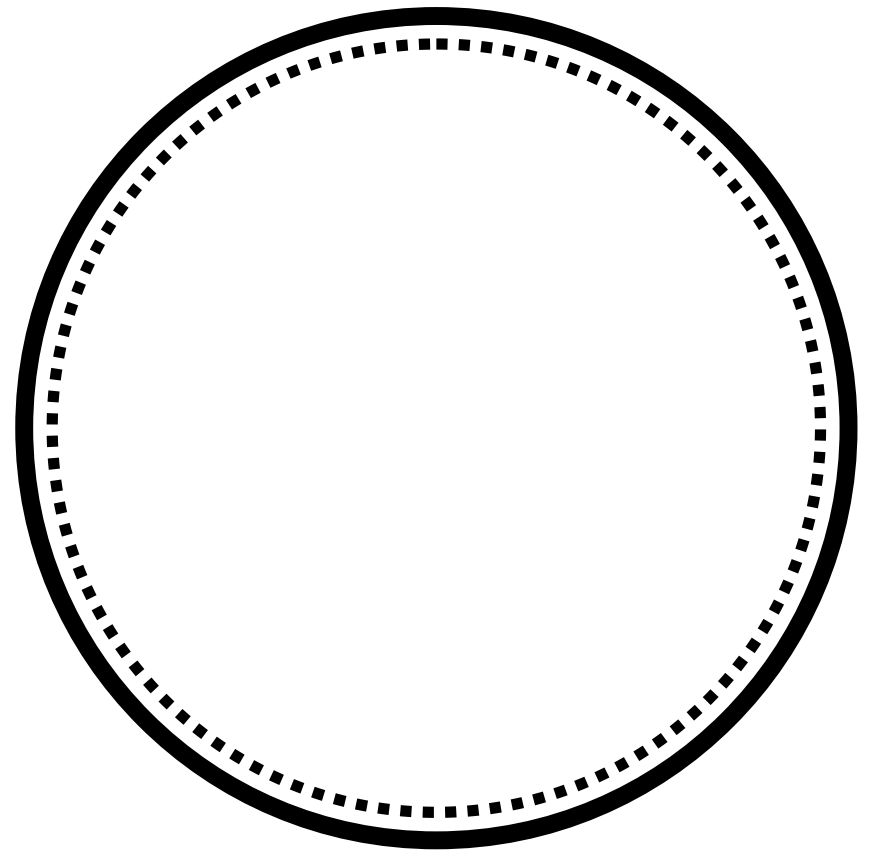
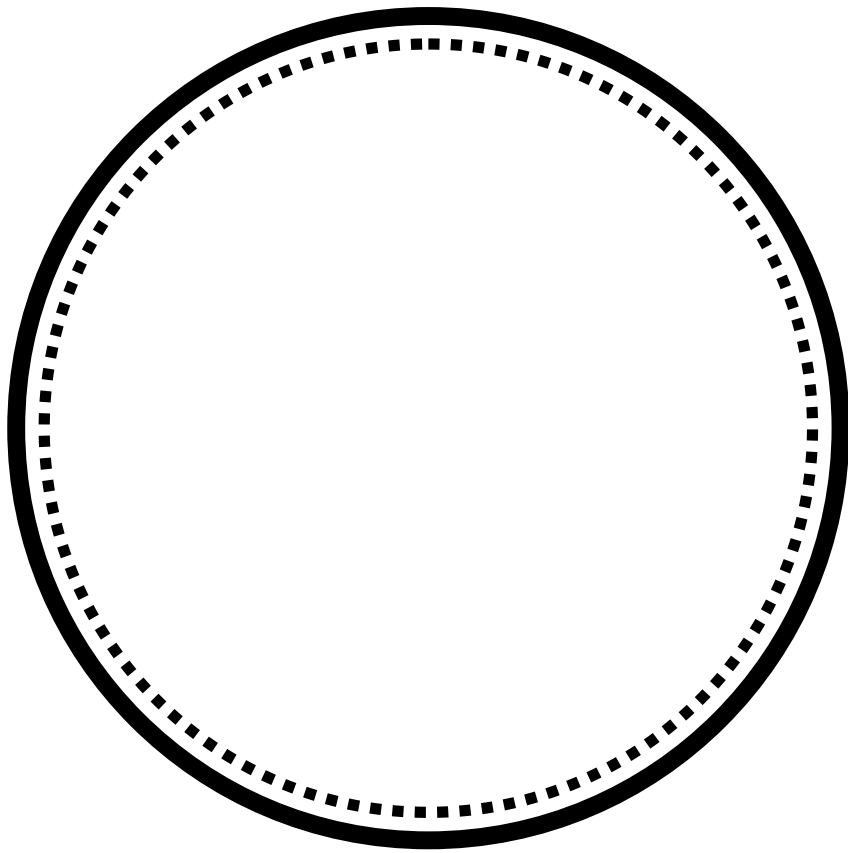


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Ezra 1:1 Jeremiah (JER ih MIGH uh)	Ezra 2:41 Asaph (AY saf)
Ezra 1:5 Jerusalem (jih <u>ROO</u> suh lem)	Ezra 3:2 Jeshua (JESH <u>yoo</u> uh)
Ezra 1:5 Levites ( <u>LEE</u> vighs)	Ezra 3:2 Zerubbabel (zuh RUHB uh buhl)
Ezra 1:8 Mithredath (MITH rih dath)	Ezra 3:7 Sidon ( <u>SIGH</u> duhn)
Ezra 1:8 Sheshbazzar (shesh BAZ uhr)	Ezra 3:7 Tyre (TIGHR)
Ezra 1:8 Judah ( <u>JOO</u> duh)	Ezra 3:7 Lebanon (LEB uh nuhn)
Ezra 2:1 Nebuchadnezzar (NEB <u>yoo</u> kad NEZ uhr)	Ezra 3:7 Joppa (JAHP uh)
Ezra 2:1 Babylon (BAB ih lahn)	Ezra 3:8 Shealtiel (shih AL tih el)
Ezra 2:2 Nehemiah (NEE huh MIGH uh)	Ezra 3:8 Jozadak (JAHZ uh dak)

**Who became discouraged and afraid to build the temple?**

**Who did the enemies of the Israelites bribe to make trouble for the people?**

**What did King Artaxerxes order after he read the letter from the enemies of the Jewish people?**

**Name one of the two prophets God sent to tell the people it was time to rebuild the temple.**

**Name one of the two leaders who lead the people to start rebuilding.**

**What did the Israelites do while they waited to hear from King Darius?**

**What did King Darius order to be searched?**

**What was found in the archives?**

**What was Nehemiah's job?**

**What did the message Nehemiah received about Jerusalem say?**

**What did Nehemiah do after he heard about Jerusalem?**

**Who noticed Nehemiah was sad?**

**Was Nehemiah afraid to speak to the king?**

**Who did Nehemiah pray to?**

**What did Nehemiah ask the king permission to do?**

**What did the king allow Nehemiah to take from his forest?**



**Nehemiah 1:1**  
**Nehemiah (NEE huh MIGH uh)**

**Nehemiah 4:3**  
**Tobiah (toh BIGH uh)**

**Nehemiah 4:7**  
**Sanballat (san BAL uht)**

**Nehemiah 5:14**  
**Artaxerxes (ahr tuh ZUHRK seez)**

**Nehemiah 6:2**  
**Geshem (GESH ehm)**

**Nehemiah 7:2**  
**Hanani (huh NAY nigh)**

**Nehemiah 8:1**  
**Ezra (EZ ruh)**

**Nehemiah 12:32**  
**Hoshaiah (hoh SHIGH uh)**

**Nehemiah 12:33**  
**Azariah (az uh RIGH uh)**

**Nehemiah 12:41**  
**Eliakim (ih LIGH uh kim)**

- **Noah sent out a dove from the ark to check for dry land. (Genesis 8:10-11)**
- **Lot and his wife left Sodom. His wife looked back and turned into a pillar of salt. (Genesis 19:15-17,26)**
- **Joseph revealed his identity to his brothers. (Genesis 45:1-3)**
- **Moses and the Israelites crossed the Red Sea. (Exodus 14:21-22)**
- **Joshua marched around Jericho with trumpets blasting and the walls fell down. (Joshua 6:15-16,20)**
- **David fought Goliath. (1 Samuel 17:45-49)**
- **Daniel thrown in the lions' den. (Daniel 6:16-17)**
- **Jonah thrown overboard. (Jonah 1:15)**
- **Jesus taught at the temple. (Mark 12:35-37)**
- **John the Baptist ate locusts and honey. (Matthew 3:1-4)**
- **Jesus brought a little girl back to life. (Matthew 9:23-26)**
- **The prodigal son returned home. (Luke 15:18-20)**
- **The good Samaritan stopped to help the man on the side of the road. (Luke 10:33-34)**
- **Peter walked on water. (Matthew 14:28-30)**
- **Saul blinded by a bright light on the road to Damascus. (Acts 9:3-4)**
- **Paul and Silas sang while in jail. Then an earthquake freed them. (Acts 16:24-26)**
- **Gabriel appeared to Zechariah while he was offering the incense offering. (Luke 1:10-13)**
- **Zechariah revealed that his son's name is John. (Luke 1:62-64)**

- **I did not believe what the angel told me. (Zechariah)**
- **I was told God was pleased with me. (Mary)**
- **I was told my wife would have a son. (Zechariah)**
- **I was told not to be afraid to get married. (Joseph)**
- **I was told God had heard my prayer. (Zechariah)**
- **I was told the baby would be named Jesus. (Mary or Joseph)**
- **I was told the baby would be the Son of the Most High. (Mary)**
- **I was told to name my baby John. (Zechariah)**
- **I was told my child would be filled with the Holy Spirit in the womb. (Zechariah)**
- **I was told the baby would save the people from their sins. (Joseph)**
- **I was told the Lord would give this baby the throne of David forever. (Mary)**
- **I was told that my son would have the spirit and power that Elijah had. (Zechariah)**

- **The temple was here. (Jerusalem)**
- **Mary was visited by the angel Gabriel here. (Nazareth)**
- **The lodging place in this location was full. (Bethlehem)**
- **Jesus was brought here to be dedicated to the Lord. (Jerusalem)**
- **The shepherds hurried to this location to see what the angel had described to them. (Bethlehem)**
- **Jesus grew strong and full of wisdom here. (Nazareth)**
- **Simeon and Anna met Jesus here. (Jerusalem)**
- **An angel appeared to Joseph in a dream while he was at this location. (Nazareth)**
- **Jesus was placed in a manger here. (Bethlehem)**
- **Joseph and Mary finished obeying the law with their sacrifice here. (Jerusalem)**
- **Mary praised God for her coming son while in this location. (Nazareth)**

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GENESIS	JOSHUA	JOB	ISAIAH	MATTHEW	ROMANS
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LEVITICUS	RUTH	PROVERBS	LAMENTATIONS	LUKE	2 CORINTHIANS
NUMBERS	1 SAMUEL	ECCLESIASTES	EZEKIEL	JOHN	GALATIANS
DEUTERONOMY	2 SAMUEL	SONG OF SONGS/ SOLOMON	DANIEL		EPHESIANS
	1 KINGS		HOSEA		PHILIPPIANS
	2 KINGS		JOEL		COLOSSIANS
	1 CHRONICLES		AMOS		1 THESSALONIANS
	2 CHRONICLES		OBADIAH		2 THESSALONIANS
	EZRA		JONAH		1 TIMOTHY
	NEHEMIAH		MICAH		2 TIMOTHY
	ESTHER		NAHUM		TITUS
			HABAKKUK		PHILEMON
	ACTS		ZEPHANIAH		HEBREWS
			HAGGAI		JAMES
			ZECHARIAH		1 PETER
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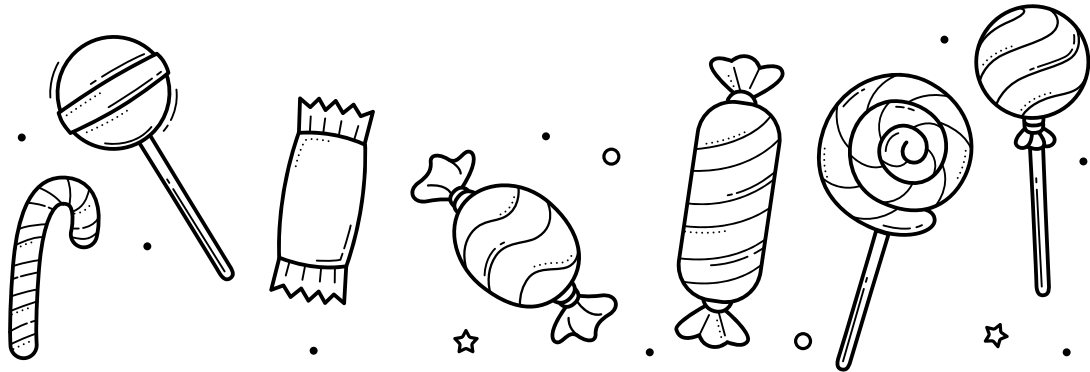
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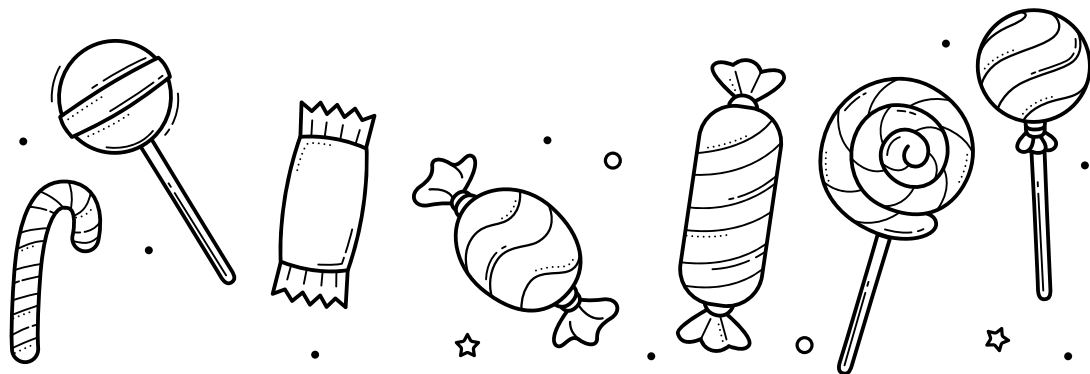
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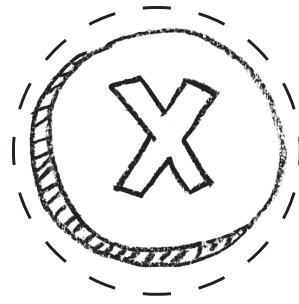
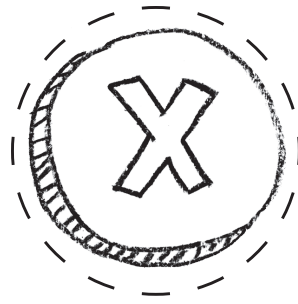
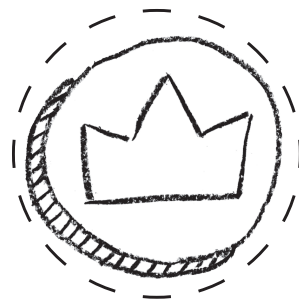
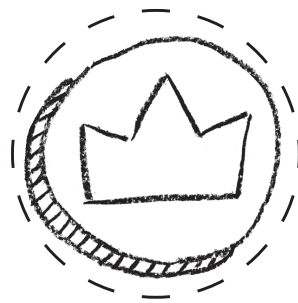
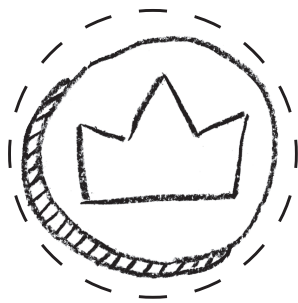
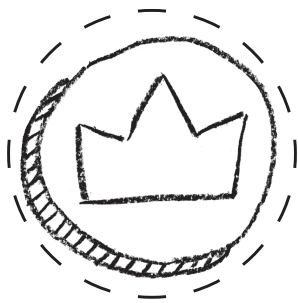
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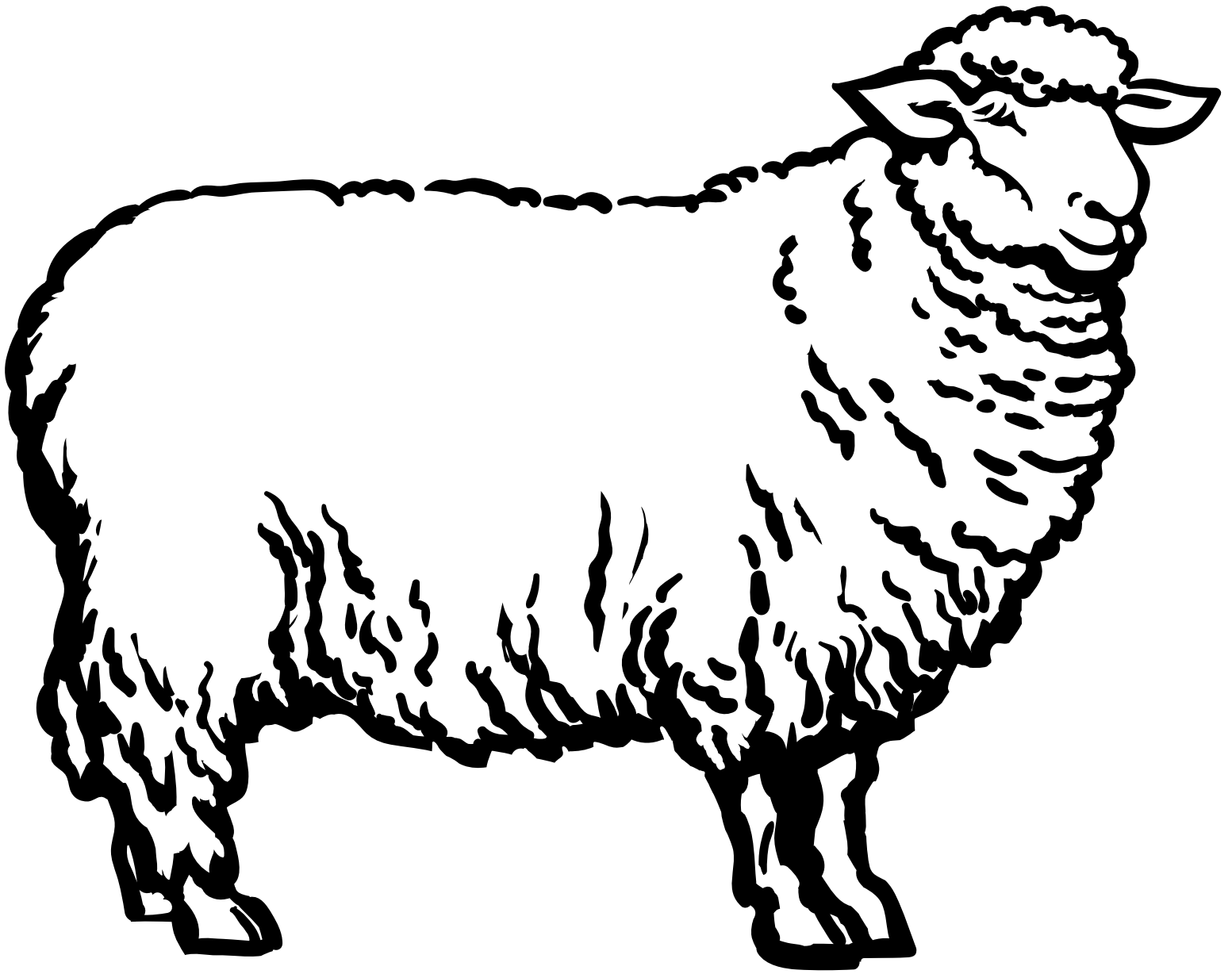
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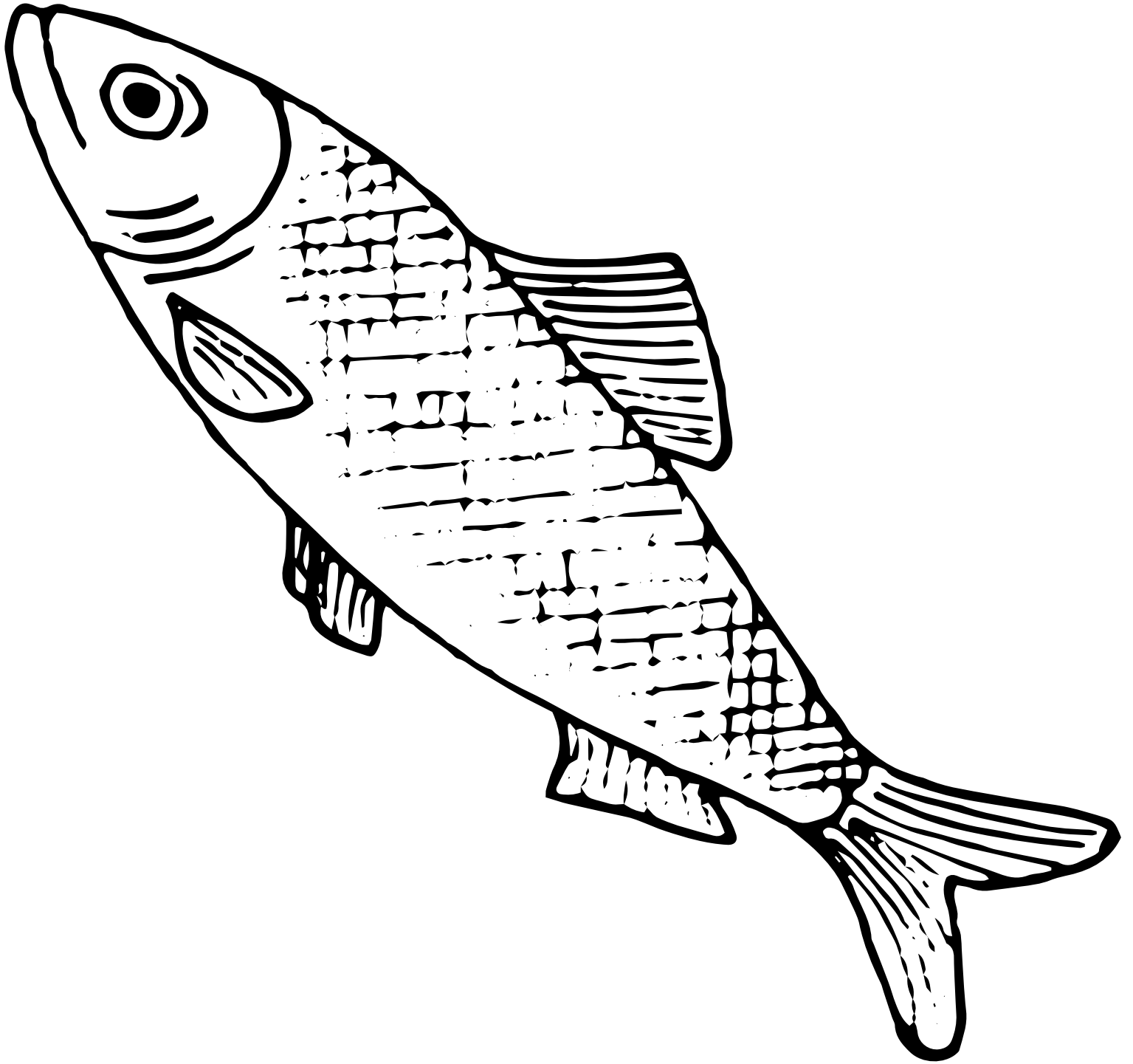












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	God is our loving Father who eagerly welcomes us home when we repent of our sin.	Acts 4:12
	True faith in God leads us to be thankful for His mercy.	1 Peter 5:7
	God honors humble, sacrificial giving.	1 Peter 5:7
	The Lord is faithful to keep His promises; He kept His promise to bring His people back home.	1 Peter 5:7
	God helps His people obey His commands.	1 Peter 5:7
	God promised a righteous and humble King was coming to bring salvation to the people.	Joshua 22:5b
	God should be our number one priority.	Joshua 22:5b
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